



The Rockport Seafair invites you to participate in our  
**NO CONTEST CELEBRITY GUMBO**  
to be held Sunday, October 11th ONLY

- \* No Competition
- \* Earn money for yourself or your organization, church, etc.
- \* No requirement to cook on site. Pre-cooked gumbo is acceptable.
- \* Any type of gumbo is acceptable.
- \* Gumbo sales = 2 tickets per cup or \$2

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*Yes, I'm a great gumbo cook!!*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax back to the Chamber at 361-729-7681  
or Email to [gumbocookoff1@yahoo.com](mailto:gumbocookoff1@yahoo.com)

## RULES FORM

### 35th ANNUAL ROCKPORT SEAFAIR

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**BOOTHS:** Booth location is on a first come, first served basis. Call Jackie about your location – her phone is 729-2529 or 463-1997, or email at [gumbocookoff1@yahoo.com](mailto:gumbocookoff1@yahoo.com). The area size will be 10' x 10'. Teams are encouraged to decorate their area with a Sea or Cajun theme. Teams must furnish **ALL** their cooking equipment including chairs, butane cookers, etc. Electricity is **NOT** available. There is a water source nearby. There are tables and chairs available for the guests. You may set up as early as you like on Sunday. Please enter at the gate across from the carnival.

You may bring your truck in before 9am to unload.

**GUMBO:** Gumbo may be prepared in advance. All gumbo must be sold to the public and may not be given away. Any type of Gumbo is acceptable.

**SALE:** Gumbo may be sold from 11 a.m.–5 p.m. on Sunday. (Gates will open at 11 a.m. on Sunday and Gumbo should be ready to sell!)

**SEAFAIR SUPPORT:** Rockport Seafair will provide all cups, spoons, and napkins for the gumbo. Teams will need to provide their own rice. Gumbo will sell for \$2.00 per 6-oz cup (two tickets). Entrants may donate all of their proceeds to the Rockport Seafair or keep up to 60%. At least 40% is a required donation to the Rockport Seafair, a non-profit organization. Entrants will not have to worry about handling cash, since tickets will be used. When your sales are complete you will be required to count your tickets accurately. You will then be required to take your tickets to your gumbo chairperson or a designated person who will verify the count. The chairperson will then go to the cash office to get your amount due.

**CHECK-IN:** Check-in begins at 10 am Sunday Morning. Please check in with the Gumbo Cook-off Chairperson at the gumbo check in area. Please have your area ready to go by 11 a.m. Sunday morning and your gumbo ready to serve. We ask that all vehicles be outside the area by 9 a.m. Sunday.

**ADMISSIONS:** Each team will be allowed six (6) free admissions. Call Jackie to make arrangements to get your badges or you may pick them up Friday afternoon before 5pm at the Gumbo tent. You must have these with you, as new ones can not be issued.

**SAFETY NOTE AND REQUIREMENTS:** 1. For the safety of your team and of the general public, and because of insurance and state regulations, bottles and/or glass containers will NOT be allowed on the Seafair grounds. 2. Please clean your booth before your team leaves the area All garbage bags must be dumped in the large dumpster located on the festival grounds.